



Extended Family Listening Questions

1. Who in the narrator's family became estranged, and why?
2. How did the narrator gain step-siblings?
3. What family role does the narrator's brother's wife have?
4. How is the narrator connected to a "second cousin once removed"?
5. What is unusual about the narrator's godfather?
6. What family role does the narrator personally have for her friend's child?
7. What happened to the cousin who got engaged?
8. What is the difference between the narrator's widowed relatives?
9. Who turned out to be both a flatmate and a colleague from the past?
10. Why does the narrator compare her family tree to a "soap opera"?